

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.		
MEMPHIS AND LOUISVILLE RAILROAD.		
	Arrives.	Leaves.
Express daily (except Sunday).....	3.30	
Mail Train.....	3.15	11.00
Acc'n except Sunday.....	3.25	5.00
Depot at head of Main street.		
Ticket Office, 287 Main street, corner of Madison.		

MISSISSIPPI AND TENNESSEE R. & N.		
	Arrives.	Leaves.
N. O. Mail (daily).....	1.30	2.00
Express (daily ex. Sunday).....	3.15	4.45
Freight (daily ex. Sunday).....	4.30	6.15
Depot at foot of Main street.		
Ticket Office, 287 Main street, corner of Madison.		

MEMPHIS AND LITTLE ROCK RAILROAD.		
	Arrives.	Leaves.
Mail Train daily.....	1.40	
Louisville Depot.....		3.35
Freight and Accommodation daily.....	5.00	5.00
Sleeping cars on mail train. Ticket offices, Louisville Depot, 287 Main (cor. Madison) and 278 Main street.		
W. E. SMITH, Act'g Gen'l Sup't.		

PADUCAH AND MEMPHIS RAILROAD.		
	Arrives.	Leaves.
Mail and Freight Train leaves.....	4:15 p.m.	
arrives.....	9:00 a.m.	
The mail and freight train leaves Covington for Memphis at 6:15 a.m., and returns to Covington at 7 p.m. Trains leaving Memphis will start from the Underwriters Warehouse.		
M. BURKE, Sup't.		

RAILROADS.		
MEMPHIS AND LITTLE ROCK RAILWAY.		
CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.		
COMMERCIAL		

**Sunday, July 25, 1875.**

AND UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE TRAINS will arrive and depart as follows (Memphis time):

Mail train leaves L. & N. & Gt. S. R. R. Depot (daily)..... 3:35 p.m.

Arrives (daily)..... 11:00 a.m.

Accommodation leaves daily (except Sunday)..... 5:00 p.m.

Pullman Palace Sleeping Cars on all night trains.

For tickets or information, apply at Ticket Office, 287 Main, northwest corner of Madison street.

**JOHN T. FLYNN, Sup't Memphis Div.**

**JAMES SPEER, Ticket Agent.**

**ONLY ONE NIGHT OUT**

—FROM—

Louisville, Cincinnati and St. Louis

—TO—

**NEW YORK,**

—VIA THE—

**LITTLE MIAMI, PAN HANDLE**

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Shortest and Quickest to all Eastern Cities.

**4 THROUGH TRAINS.**

THROUGH FROM Cincinnati to New York IN 26 HOURS.

ALL SATURDAY TRAINS RUN through to New York without detention. Pullman's Palace Drawing-Room and Sleeping Cars on all through trains.

For Through Tickets, APPLY AT—

Ticket Offices Throughout the South and Southwest.

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**LOUISVILLE AND CINCINNATI Short Line Railroad**

FOR CINCINNATI AND THE EAST!

The Quickest, Best and Only Route

Running Three Daily Lines

Pullman Drawing-Room Sleeping Coaches from Louisville to Cincinnati, Columbus, O., Pittsburg, Harrisburgh, PHILADELPHIA, NEW YORK and other Eastern cities

WITHOUT CHANGE.

THE ONLY LINE WITH WHICH PASSENGERS from the South make Direct Connection at Louisville with Through Car for New York. ARRIVING ONE TRAIN IN ADVANCE of all other lines. Time from Louisville to New York

**Only Thirty-Two Hours.**

This Line is Stone Ballasted and entirely FREE FROM DUST. Being equipped with the celebrated Westinghouse Safety Air-Brake, precludes all possibility of collisions.

**ONLY ALL RAIL LINE**

Between Louisville and Cincinnati, passing over the Great Iron Railway Bridge at Cincinnati.

Passengers via this Line avoid a tedious haul through Louisville, by changing Cars at Short Line Junction, three miles south of the city, where they can be served with an excellent meal at RUPER'S DINING HALL AT ALL HOURS.

Trains of the Short Line make close connections with Trunk Lines at Cincinnati for all points North and East.

Tickets for sale VIA LOUISVILLE AND THE SHORT LINE at all ticket offices in the South and Southwest.

**JNO. MACLEOD, Gen. Sup't.**  
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**L. B. McFARLAND,**

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

No. 39 Madison Street,

MEMPHIS, . . . TENNESSEE.

# PUBLIC LEDGER.

Eight Dollars per Annum. LARGEST CITY CIRCULATION. Fifteen Cents per Week.

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## PUBLIC LEDGER.

THE PUBLIC LEDGER IS PUBLISHED every afternoon (except Sunday) at No. 13 Madison street.

The Public Ledger is served to city subscribers by faithful carriers at FIFTEEN CENTS PER WEEK, payable weekly to the carrier. By mail (in advance): One year, \$3; six months, \$1.75; three months, \$1.00; one month, 70 cents. Postage free.

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Published every Tuesday at \$2 per annum (in advance). Postage free.

Communications upon subjects of general interest to the public are at all times acceptable.

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### RATES OF ADVERTISING IN DAILY:

First insertion.....	\$1.00
Subsequent insertions.....	50 "
For one week.....	3.50 "
For two weeks.....	6.50 "
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Eight lines of nonpareil, solid, constitute a square.

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All bills for advertising are due when contracted and payable on demand.

All letters, whether upon business or otherwise, must be addressed to

**E. WHITMORE,**  
Publisher and Proprietor.

### POOR CARLOTTA.

The Last Mourning Days of the Widow of Maximilian—The Romance and the Reality of the Life of an Empress.

Rome Letter to Philadelphia Bulletin.

A month or six weeks past there appeared in several of the European journals an extremely interesting account of the poor Empress Carlotta. It has been reprinted, I see, in the American newspapers. I was talking of this account lately with a personage who knows a great deal of European courts and the private affairs of royalties. This person said: "The description given of the present life and habits of the Empress leads one to believe that she is no longer insane; she may be melancholy, but she has her reason, and is sternly refusing to hold communication with the outside world, in which she suffered so much sorrow. Is not that the impression it made upon you?"

I replied in the affirmative, and, apropos to the Empress' mode of life, I told my visitor a strange and interesting story I had heard that morning, of a lady who had had some fatal grief that had swept away from her all human hope and help. She was a woman of fortune, high culture, learned, indeed; she was singularly alone in life, all her near relatives were dead. She was about thirty-five years of age. She lived in an elegantly-furnished apartment; one of the rooms was a fine library; all on one flat, en suite, as is common in European houses. She dismissed her servants, for thirty years refused to hold any intercourse with society, and led an entirely solitary life.

Every morning a confidential servant entered a door that was left unlocked at a certain hour. She went into a bedroom and put it in order, also the dining-room, removing the dishes of the preceding day, and placed on the table the food for the succeeding twenty-four hours; but she never saw her mistress. Written orders, made in the coolest, clearest form, were left from time to time on the dining or dressing-table. Through these orders all business was directed, and everything was provided that was needed by the recluse. The whole suite of rooms, except the dining, sleeping, and dressing rooms, remained strictly closed for thirty years. People talked a great deal at first, but in time the lady and her solitary life were forgotten. The original confidential servant died, and another person succeeded to the post, but nothing changed the habits of the lady—she was never seen by any one. Thirty years went by. Then one morning the servant found the bed undisturbed, the food untouched. She forced the doors and searched for her mistress. She passed through a long succession of rooms. A thick bed of dust lay over every article of furniture, a silent covering over carpets and floors. But straight through the rooms was a narrow, direct path to the end room or library, a path swept clean by the long trailing garments of that solitary woman in her daily walk of thirty years. It swerved neither to the right nor to the left. The servant followed the strange path to the library. There she found her mistress seated at a reading table in a high-backed chair. Her hands were folded peacefully in her lap, her head was leaning back. The sad, worn old face was calm and still. She had, at last, gone to that other solitude, Death.

On the table were Homer and Virgil. They seemed to be the only books she had read, as the others on the shelves were bound with the dust of years. There was not one written line or word left. The solitary thirty years had ended, as they had been lived, in solemn silence. The sorrowing woman at last knew the Great Secret, which told her why she had been called to suffer such keen mortal anguish that it had snapped all bonds between her and her kind.

After I had finished this story my friend said, with a fine, sarcastic smile: "Yes, this is very affecting; but we must bring ourselves back to earth with stern realities. All such stories are fables, and no greater fable is there than this one published of the poor Empress of Mexico. It is a pious fable, however, invented by her friends to throw around her last days an air of decorous dignity that does not exist. Their loving care for her memory induces them to send

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## LEGAL.

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IN THIS CAUSE AN ATTACHMENT HAVING been sued out under section 3435 of the Code of Tennessee and returned levied upon the property of the defendants, and said attachment having been made, defendants are indebted to plaintiffs in the sum of — dollars, due by account, and that the claim is just, and that said defendants are non-residents of the State of Tennessee; it is therefore ordered that said W. J. Slater and W. H. Slater make their personal appearance before me, at my office, in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on Saturday, the 28th day of August next, and defend said attachment suit, or the same will be proceeded with ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week, for four consecutive weeks, in the Memphis Public Ledger. This 28th day of August, 1875.

128-130-131-132 E. W. CALDWELL, J. P.

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Wednesday, 4th day of August, 1875,

in legal hours, in front of the Court House, Memphis, Tennessee, proceed to sell, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described property, to-wit: One hundred and eighty-nine acres of land in the Third District of Shelby county, and bounded on the north by W. T. Donaldson's land, on the east by Hatchers river, and on the west by Mrs. and John Harrison's land.

Leveled on as the property of defendant, J. F. Hollaway, to satisfy said judgment, interest and costs.

Memphis, 9th day of July, 1875.

C. L. ANDERSON,  
Sheriff of Shelby County, Tenn.

## In Supreme Court at Jackson.

James C. Prewitt, Adm'r, etc., vs. Naomi Smith et al.

BY VIRTUE OF THE DECREE PRO-nounced by the Supreme Court of Tennessee at Jackson on the 8th of June, 1875, in this cause, I will, on

Saturday, 31st day of July, 1875,

offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, in front of the office of the Sheriff of Shelby county, in the city of Memphis, the real estate mortgaged and described in said decree as follows: Situated, lying and being in the city of Memphis, county of Shelby, and State of Tennessee, on the north side of Adams street, between Third and Fourth streets, immediately west of and adjoining the lot on which Wm. Park now resides, beginning at a stake on the north side of Adams street, at the southwest corner of the lot on which said Wm. Park now resides, and running thence with the north side of Adams street 35 1/2 feet, 2 feet east of the east line of Mrs. M. A. Willett, wife of Dr. E. H. Willett; thence northwesterly on a line parallel with and 2 feet distant from the east line of M. A. Willett, 145 1/2 feet to a stake; thence easterly with the south line of said alley 35 1/2 feet to a stake on the line of said Wm. Park; thence southwesterly with said Wm. Park's west line to a stake on Adams street, the point of beginning.

JOHN H. FREEMAN, Clerk.

KORTCHAK & CRAFT, Sole. 104-128

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JNO. H. FREEMAN, Clerk.

B. B. BARNES, Sol. for complainants.  
July 8, 1875. 112-123

## THRESHING MACHINE.

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## "Vibrator" Thresher.

The Brilliant Success of this Grain-Threshing Machine, the "Vibrator," is well represented in the annuals of Farm Machinery. In a brief period it has become widely known and FULLY ESTABLISHED, as the LEADING THRESHING MACHINE.

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THRESHERMEN FIND it highly advantageous to run a machine that has no "Beaters," "Pickers," or "Ayrton" handles. It is a "Long Straw" Thresher. It threshes Timothy, Millet and all such difficult grain and seeds, with ENTIRE EASE AND EFFECTIVENESS. Cleans to perfection; never makes a thresh hill by extra-grinding of grain, makes no "Littering;" requires LESS THAN ONE-HALF the usual Belts, Boxes, Journals, and Gears; easier managed; less repairs; one that grain raisers prefer to employ and wait for, even at advanced prices, while other machines are "out of jobs."

Four sizes made with 6, 8, 10 and 12 horses' "Horse" Powers, also a specialty of "Separators," "alone," expressly for STEAM P-WER and to match other Horse Powers.

It interested in grain raising, or threshing, write for Illustrated Circular (sent free) will tell particulars of sizes, styles, prices, terms, etc.

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